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1. The reply filed on 8-6-01 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

a) The Applicant's amendment to page 8 of the specification was improper under 37 C.F.R. 1.121(b) and could not be entered because text was added to page 8 (specifically adding "Monitoring Process and Device of a Quasi-Closed Electromagnet Shield") without showing the change (such as by underlining) in the marked-up copy. The amendment to page 8 of the specification was also improper because it included paragraphs for which there were no amendments made. The Examiner respectfully notes that only those paragraphs in which changes are being made should a clean amended paragraph along with corresponding marked-up copy of the amended paragraph be submitted. Appropriate correction is required.

b) The Applicant's amendment to page 13 of the specification was also improper under 37 C.F.R. 1.121(b) and could not be entered because the marked-up copy of amended page 13 does not show that any changes were made (i.e. for example, there is no underlining to show what's been added or bracketing to show what's been deleted). The amendment to page 13 was also improper because it included paragraphs for which there were no amendments made. Appropriate correction is required.

2. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to

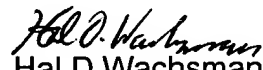
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avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Hal D Wachsman whose telephone number is 703-305-9788. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday to Friday 7:00 A.M. to 4:30 P.M..

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Marc Hoff can be reached on 703-308-1677. The fax phone numbers for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned are 703-308-7722 for regular communications and 703-308-7722 for After Final communications.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the receptionist whose telephone number is 703-308-0956.

  
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